

Richfield District #316

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District Characteristics 1997-98

Fall Enrollment 1997-98	198	Special Education:	
Average Daily Attendance	189	Special Education Students	29
State Ranking per ADA	100	Gifted and Talented Students	0
Number of Schools (sites):		Number of LEP Students**	10
Elementary	1	National School Lunch Program:	
Secondary	1	% Average Daily Participation	90%
Number of Schools:		% Free and Reduced Meals	55%
Accredited	0	Average Lunch Price - Elementary	\$0.90
Accredited with Comment	0	Average Lunch Price - Secondary	\$1.00
Advised & Advised with Comment	0	Pupil Transportation Program:	
Warned	1	Average Daily Ridership 1996-97	68
High School Graduates:		District Owned Operation	
High School Diplomas-Regular	12	* Certificates of Completion issued at a district level	
Other Completions*	0	** Limited English Speaking (LEP)	

Superintendent's Highlights

July 1, 1997, a rookie superintendent took over as new chief executive officer of the Richfield Schools. This proved to be a year of board micro management. A recall of three board members was slated for September. This action was averted with due to a court hearing where it was found that one of the petitions for recall lack one signature required on the initial petition. The petitioners of the two other zones withdrew their petitions. The District Clerk/Business Manager resigned in October. The District Board hires an unqualified candidate to fill this position. The Board gave its approval to one issue during the year. Thank goodness for board elections. The Richfield School District has three new board members. The superintendent is looking forward to a better year during 1998-99.

A \$465,000 bond was passed by the patrons of the Richfield School District to purchase two propane boilers to heat the school building and to put a pitched roof on the school building to stop the leaks of water into the school and gymnasium. The boilers were installed in October 1997, and the roof is being completed as this information is being written.

Progress Towards Meeting District Goals

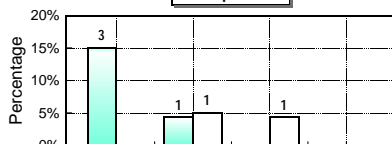
1997-98 Goals	Progress
School Facilities Improvement	Two propane boilers were installed in October, 1997. A metal pitched roof was installed during the summer months
Improvement of Instruction	Reading in grades K-6 was emphasized during the school year. The Intensive Phonics program was adopted in grade K-6. Teachers and aids attended two workshops to learn how to use this program. The Fifty-in-a-Minute math improvement program was adopted from Harrison Elementary School in Twin Falls. Our objective is to improve math test scores on the ITBS tests.
Improved Technology	Our school connected to the internet in Feb., 1998. We now have computer linkage inside our building and to the outside world.

Student Profiles

Ethnicity

Race	Male	Female	Total
White	43.99%	42.41%	86.40%
Black	0.00%	0.52%	0.52%
Hispanic	6.28%	5.76%	12.04%
Nat. Amer.	0.52%	0.00%	0.52%
Asian	0.52%	0.00%	0.52%
Total	51.31%	48.69%	100.00%

Dropouts



Year	Grd. 9	Grd. 10	Grd. 11	Grd. 12
96-97	15.00%	4.35%	0.00%	0.00%
97-98	0.00%	5.00%	4.35%	0.00%

Numbers in graph represent actual dropout counts per grade

Financial Information 1997-98

	M & O Fund	%	All Funds	%
Revenues:				
Local Taxes	\$106,891	9.51%	\$160,047	8.61%
Other Sources	31,264	2.78%	527,919	28.39%
State	986,376	87.71%	1,074,941	57.80%
Federal	0	0.00%	96,790	5.20%
Total	\$1,124,531	100.00%	\$1,859,697	100.00%

Supplemental Information:

Property Tax Replacement	\$34,103
Lottery Revenues	\$8,501
Technology Grant	\$26,997

	Total	%	ADA	Rank
Expenditures:				
M & O Instruction	\$744,160	60.46%		
M & O Support Programs	482,550	39.20%		
M & O Other	4,234	0.34%		
Total M & O	\$1,230,944	100.00%	\$6,513	14
Total ALL Funds	\$1,586,270	100.00%	\$8,393	14

Tax Levies at 9-1-97

	Total	Per ADA	Rank
Property Market Values	\$39,842,962	\$210,820	55
Total M & O Levy	0.002753912		107
Total School Levy	0.004184528		85

Staff Data 1997-98

District Personnel:

	FTE	ADA to FTE
Elementary Teachers	8.58	11
Secondary Teachers	9.20	10
Administrators	1.86	102
Other Certified Staff	1.86	102
Total Certified Staff	21.50	9
Total Non-Certified Staff	8.32	23

Teachers Salaries:

	Rank
Beginning Salary on Schedule	\$20,250
Highest Salary on Schedule	\$35,005
Average Elementary Teacher's Salary	\$26,395
Average Secondary Teacher's Salary	\$26,123
Superintendent's Salary	\$52,000

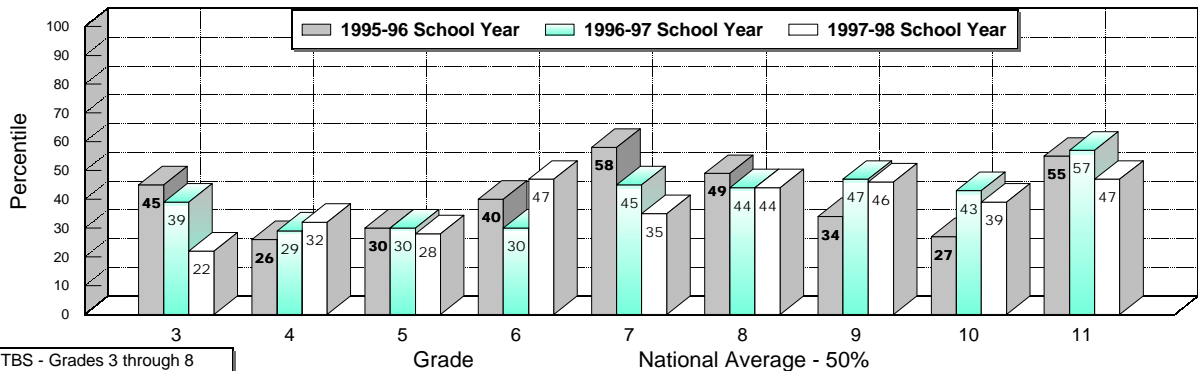
Note: Rank represents how this district compares to the other 111 public school districts in the State of Idaho; high to low (1 being the highest).
 "Totals" may not sum due to rounding.



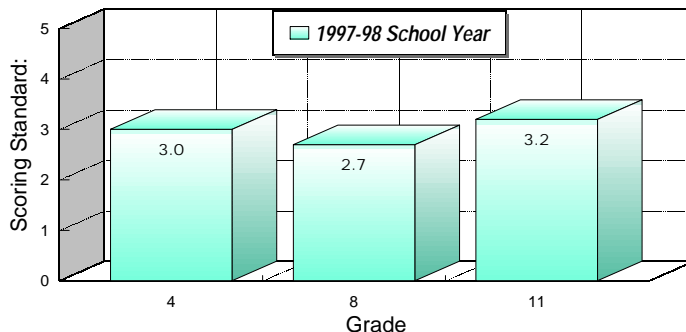
Testing Information 1997-98

Standard Testing Results

ITBS and TAP

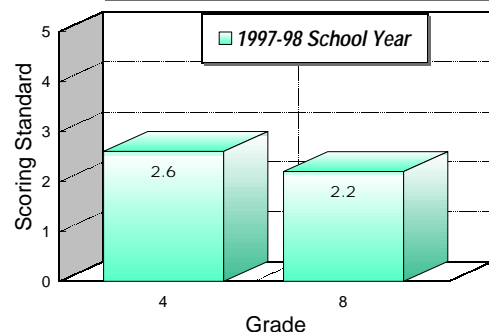


Direct Writing Assessment



Scoring Standard: 5 = Advanced, 4 = Proficient, 3 = Satisfactory, 2 = Developing, 1 = Minimal

Direct Math Assessment



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